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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Michael G. Luby

Application No.: 09/587,542

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For: DYNAMIC LAYER  
CONGESTION CONTROL FOR  
MULTICAST TRANSPORT

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 6523

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In the response to the Office Action mailed December 21, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the current amendment and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.